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SENSATIONAL ROBBERY

Of the County Treasurer at Santa Rosa.

NEARLY $8000 WAS SECURED

The Treasurer Left Insensible in the Vault and the Door Locked on Him.

SANTA ROSA, December 28.—Santa Rosa had the biggest sensation in its history today. The county treasury was robbed of nearly $8000 and County Treasurer Stofen left insensible in the vault to suffocate by the robbers who locked the door of the vault on him. The robbery occurred about 9 o'clock this morning, but was not discovered until about 5 o'clock this afternoon. All this time County Treasurer Stofen lay on the floor of the vault gasping for breath, fearing that every moment during his conscious intervals would be his last. Had it not been for the timely arrival of his wife, the only person in town who knew the combination, he would have been dead.

She had been at Cloverdale and on her return about 4 o'clock learned that the treasurer had not been to dinner. The children said they had taken his dinner up to him and left it in front of the office, but that they could not get in. Mrs. Stofen suspecting something wrong, rushed down to the office, which is in the south corner of the court house and adjoining the sheriff's office. The door was locked, but with the aid of the janitor she opened the door. On one desk was her husband's coat and hat and on the floor in confusion were the money trays on which the treasurer carries the money from the vault, which is in the rear of the office, to the desk in the front room.

About that time a faint knocking was heard from the inside of the vault. Mrs. Stofen cried to her husband that she could save him if she could remember the combination. The first time she tried she failed owing to her great excitement. The next time she was more successful, and the big iron doors of the vault slowly swung open. Treasurer Stofen was found on the floor of the vault unconscious. The safe door was open and most of the money removed.

Treasurer Stofen soon revived and said he opened up the office as usual about 9 o'clock. As he was carrying out the trays with the money from the vault a tall man in his stocking feet stepped into the door of the vault and with an uplifted dagger in his right hand told him to drop the trays, which he did and as he stooped over to lay the trays down the robber struck him a powerful blow on the back of the head which rendered him unconscious, for how long he could not tell. He says the man was tall, wore chin whiskers and must have secured admittance to the office during the night and waited for him to open the safe. Officers are scouring the county for the robber, but he has not been found.

It is the belief of many that the job was done by parties living in Santa Rosa, who were familiar with the county offices and knew just how to proceed to loot the treasury. Owing to the start the robber had the officers think the chances of finding him rather obscure. There are many theories regarding how the robber got into the office, but it is generally believed that he got into the office Thursday night and hid until the treasurer opened the vault and walked into it.

Missing Vessels Come Into Port.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—The coal laden bark Sea King, twenty-four days from Nanaimo, B. C., came into port this evening. On Christmas morning the Sea King was sighted ten miles north of Point Reyes, only a few hours distant from San Francisco, and her owners were again becoming anxious about her. The schooner John F. Miller, twenty-five days out from Portland, was also towed into port this evening. She was sighted on Monday last just off Farallone islands. The schooner was then in a disabled condition, having been stripped of several of her sails, and it was feared she had been driven out to sea again. Nothing has been heard of the coal laden ship J. B. Brown since the 23d instant, when she was sighted off Cape Mendocino. She is out twenty-five days from Nanaimo.

State Teachers' Association.

SANTA CRUZ, December 28.—At the session of the California State Teachers' Association today H. T. Ardley of Berkeley and Katherine M. Ball discussed "Manuel Training in the Public Schools," advocating its introduction. State Superintendent-elect Black discussed the "Organization of School Boards." Superintendent Linscott of Santa Cruz talked on "Ideal Curriculum," followed by Superintendent Coffey of Sutter county on the same topic. This evening Professor Joseph Le Conte lectured on "Psychological Relations of Man to the Lower Animals." A reception and dance to the teachers was given later at the Pacific Ocean house.

Met the Directors.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—A special meeting of the directors of the Central Pacific Railroad Company was held here this afternoon. The principal object of the meeting was to give Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, who is here as the representative of dissatisfied English shareholders, an opportunity of meeting the directors as a body. The meeting was very informal, and it is stated that no business of particular importance was transacted.

Died From Exposure.

SUMMIT, Cal., December 28.—The body of John O'Brien, who was working about six miles from Summit, has been discovered buried in the snow. He got lost in the storm and died from exposure. He had lost one of his snow shoes and was only two miles from his cabin. His dogs guarded the body until nearly starved and then went to a woodchopper's camp three miles away and induced the men to follow him to where his master lay.

Married the Girl.

VISALIA, December 28.—Lee Daniels, who was convicted of the seduction of Laura Slinkard, was married to the girl tonight. Daniels will receive his sentence next Thursday, and expects it to be a light one.

The Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—Wheat, easy; May, 97⅜c.

Barley—Quiet; December 86¼c; May, 91c.

Corn—$1.25.

Bran—$12 per ton.

THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

Officers to Be Prosecuted Who Let Prisoners Escape.

LOS ANGELES, December 28.—Judge Ross today addressed the grand jury, stating that information had reached him from several of the counties within this judicial district that persons in charge of United States prisoners have voluntarily permitted them to go at large, and not only so, but have falsely and fraudulently presented claims against the government for the keeping of such prisoners during the time that they have so suffered them to escape. After explaining to the jury that the penalty for such an offense was a fine of not more than $2000 or imprisonment for not more than two years, or both, he charged them to investigate the matter and promptly indict the offenders.

SHOT BY INDIANS.

The Action of Apaches Cause Settlers Great Alarm.

TUCSON, A. T., December 28.—A Mexican sheepherder was brought into Bisbee today suffering from a gunshot wound through the thigh. He says he was attacked by five mounted Indians while alone looking after his sheep, and when he took to his heels the redskins opened fire on him, only one of the shots taking effect. He managed to join several herders half a mile from the scene of the shooting who took him to Bisbee. This bold attempt at murder is considered but a starter for serious Indian troubles. Part of Geronimo's band of Apaches has been returned to San Carlos reservation, their old stamping ground, and their actions cause settlers great alarm.

MANAGER LEEDS.

HE HAS NOT HEARD OFFICIALLY FROM FRESNO

But Has Read the Dispatches Concerning the Los Angeles Scheme.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—Manager J. S. Leeds, of the Traffic Association, has not heard officially about the Fresno scheme to build a competing road to Los Angeles instead of San Francisco, but he has read the dispatches about it. "I do not think there is any danger," he said today. "The people of the San Joaquin valley want more reasonable transportation rates and they are casting about for them either by way of Los Angeles or San Francisco. Of course we at this end of the proposition insist that this is the best outlet, because the approaches offer the least natural resistance for the removal of the products of the San Joaquin valley. The regulation of transportation is just as imperative for the benefit of San Francisco as for the San Joaquin valley. Their interests are identical. It is my opinion that when the road is built in the San Joaquin valley it will take its natural course to the bay of San Francisco. Subscriptions to the San Joaquin valley road are coming in slowly. For all that we are determined to build the road, and I believe that we shall build it."

THE LEXOW INVESTIGATION.

Inspector Williams Calls Attorney Goff a Liar.

NEW YORK, December 28.—At the Lexow committee today Inspector Williams again faced Goff and resumed his hard dry denials of having received any money or bribes of any description. He got very angry when questioned about his wife's diamonds, particularly the diamond cross in regard to which Goff asked him if it came from a woman of ill repute. Williams called Goff a liar. Commissioner Martin was the witness who excited the most interest. Anthony Comstock appeared with a demand to be heard in regard to Goff's charge against him, but he was refused. Senator Lexow announced that the hearing would close tomorrow for the present.

IS LEEDS AN INCUBUS?

This Valley Is Tired of Paper Railroads and Paper Railroad Men.

From the Tulare Register.

There are indications that Traffic Manager Leeds is an incubus. There are also indications that the San Joaquin valley is getting weary of him. He appears to know what he is up to, but other people do not, and they are weary, ever so weary. People are even wondering if he is not in the pay of Mr. Huntington as well as of the traffic association, studying how not to build a competing road as well as how to build one. This suspicion may be, and probably is, unjust to Mr. Leeds, but his masterly inactivity has become as oppressive as McClellan's was in the early sixties. It is entirely possible that we are expecting too much of Mr. Leeds when we expect him to awaken San Francisco out of her moss covered tomb.

It is altogether likely that the Angel Gabriel is the man for this supreme function, but if Mr. Leeds knew how bad this valley wants a railroad—another railroad—all up its long length and sprangled out all over its broad width he would excuse us for wishing him to step down and out of a place he seems to be unworthy to fill, so as to let Gabriel have an inning. We want a competing railroad because we want it; also because we would like at least two chances for choosing the kind of sauce with which we are to be consumed, we and our substance. We want another railroad because we want another boom. We find one railroad uninteresting, and we want two of them so as to see them fight. For twenty years we have been standing hat in hand soliciting favors at the hands of one railroad, and we want two railroads, so that, when we are so unusually fortunate as to have something to ship, the railroads aforesaid or their agents can stand around awhile with their hats in their hands while we rear back in our chair and consider the matter at our leisure. We want another railroad from San Francisco, from Stockton, from Antioch, Los Angeles, San Luis Obispo, the moon—anywhere so that we have another railroad and have it soon. We want two railroads because we admit that we are not smart enough to control one, because other people and other valleys have two railroads; because we know that where they have the most railroads they have the fewest railroad problems; because, in order to live at all, two railroads would have to get in and boom the country, and because we are tired of these piping times of financial depression and want to see things go. We know well enough that it is economically unsound to want two railroads where one can do all the business, but economy to the dogs—it is another railroad that we want and we won't be happy until we get it, and we don't want so much monkey business about it either. We are getting tired of paper railroads and paper railroad men.

A HORRIBLE HOLACAUST

Forty-one Persons Burned to Death

AT A CHRISTMAS GATHERING

In Silver Lake, Oregon—People Rushed Headlong Into the Flames.

KLAMATH FALLS, December 28.—News has just reached here that at Silver Lake, Lake county, Or., on Christmas eve, while a large party was attending a Christmas tree, a lamp exploded and set fire to the building. Forty-one persons were burned to death and fifteen injured, five of whom will die.

A large crowd had assembled in Chrisman Bros.' hall to attend the Christmas tree. While the festivities were at their height some one climbed on a bench from which point he expected to get a better view of what was going on. In doing so his head struck a lamp hanging from the ceiling, overturning it. The oil immediately caught fire, and everything in the room being dry and of an inflammable nature the room was soon a mass of flames. Some one shouted: "Shut the door and keep quiet, it can be put out." By this time the confusion was so great that people began scrambling in a wild endeavor to reach the door. Women and children were trampled under foot, and as there was only one exit to the hall, and the fire being between a majority of the crowd and the door, many people rushed headlong into the flames.

San Francisco Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—Five and one-half furlongs—Johnny Payne, Frimanda, Queen Bee. Time, 1.17.

Five furlongs—Circe, Vigor, Hanford. Time, 1.06¾.

Six furlongs—Braw Scot, Red Glen, San Luis Rey. Time, 1.22¼.

One mile, match race between Whitestone and Pescador—Whitestone won. Pescador fell at the three-quarter pole. Time, 1.50.

Six furlongs—Dick Behan, Quirt, San Lucas. Time, 1.24½.

EX-SENATOR FAIR DEAD

HIS SERIOUS ILLNESS KEPT FROM THE PUBLIC.

The Main Part of His Fortune Believed to Have Been Left to Some Charity.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 28.—Ex-Senator James G. Fair died tonight at the Lick house at twenty minutes past 12.

The senator has been in poor health for some time, suffering from asthma. A few days ago he caught cold while going out in a rain storm to view some of his property improvements at North Beach. The cold did not apparently affect his lungs, but settled in his kidneys. This evening he was feeling better than for the past few days and his death was entirely unexpected. Senator Fair was 64 years old. His death was due to a complication of kidney and stomach troubles.

His only son, Charles G. Fair, whom he disinherited about a year ago, was with his father at the time of his death, a reconciliation having been effected a short time ago. Senator Fair was born in Ireland, and was United States senator from Nevada. He made his fortune in the Comstock lode and was a member of the famous Bonanza firm of Flood, Mackey, Fair & O'Brien. He largely increased his wealth by investments in San Francisco and California real estate and his fortune is estimated at $20,000,000.

Senator Fair has been more seriously ill than his friends cared to admit. Last night he was known to be sinking, but this information was not made public. Dr. Livingston, one of the late senator's closest friends, says that he saw Senator Fair's will, and that his estate will amount to between $35,000,000 and $40,000,000.

While two daughters, Mrs. Herman Oelrichs and Miss Virginia Fair, and his son Charles Fair will receive large fortunes, the main part of the property, it is believed, has been left to some charity in emulation of Senator Stanford and James Lick, which will immortalize Senator Fair's name.

Charles Fair, his only son, is said to have bright's disease and the doctors say he cannot live more than a year. He recently married a San Francisco woman, and as they have no children she will probably inherit Charley Fair's portion.

A FLOOD THREATENED.

Water Level With the Banks of Canals.

The incessant rains for the past few weeks have thoroughly soaked the ground, and when an extra hard shower falls the surplus water flows off by natural or artificial channels. Reports last night said that the canals are full of water. That one beyond the Barton vineyard was nearly level with its banks. It is from this canal that the chief danger exists to the city. If the levees break there is nothing to keep the water out of town.

The floods in past years show what may be expected again. There is no provision against an overflow, and if the canal banks break and the rain continues, boats may navigate the streets as they have done heretofore on more occasions than one.

J. W. Loomis, traveling agent for the Fancher Creek nurseries, returned Saturday from an extended trip throughout Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, in the interest of the above firm. He reports a large sale of nursery stock.

George H. Eggers went to San Francisco this morning.

THE GRAND JURY

Busily at Work on Various Matters.

The grand jury is engaged in examining into various matters. The county hospital was visited yesterday and the condition of that institution was examined into. The office of the county recorder was also examined, and so far as can be learned all things were found in good condition.

It was reported that an examination was being made into the matter of arrest of Chinese gamblers and lottery men, and of all the matters appertaining thereto; but as this work is done by the grand jury behind closed doors, the facts cannot be given with absolute certainty.

On a Grand Hunt.

Tomorrow morning Frank Wickersham, Charles Garrott, George Jewett, Clark Wood, Frank Taylor of San Francisco, Trustee Ed Adams, William Harrison and Con Angel will go on a grand hunt in the vicinity of Firebaughs. It is not a hunt for votes, but for jackrabbits, coyotes, bears, ducks, geese and rattlesnakes, for which special provision has been made. A great drain will be made on Fresno's supply of ammunition.

The Dynamite Victims.

Coroner Stephens yesterday received word from Big Sandy that Fred Keep, one of the victims of the dynamite explosion there day before yesterday, had died from his wounds. Dr. Maupin, who attended the injured men, says that Grider, the other man who was injured, is not expected to live. The Coroner left for Big Sandy yesterday.

Late last night news reached here that O. C. Grider also was dead.

A CHAIN GANG SEARCHED

ON ONE MEMBER WAS FOUND A KEEN RAZOR.

Another Had a Steel Saw and a Third a Key Which Would Unlock Shackles.

LOS ANGELES, December 28.—When the chain gang came in from its work this afternoon, every member of it was searched to see what they had pocketed during the day. Another reason for the search was rumors that there was going to be a concerted attempt to escape. On one was found a keen razor, on another a piece of steel fashioned into a saw, and on the third a key that would unlock shackles.

Suicide of a Bakersfield Girl.

BAKERSFIELD, December 28.—A girl about 16 years of age, named Hattie May Winters, committed suicide at her home about six miles from Bakersfield today by cutting her throat with a razor. She is the girl that accused a man named Dinsmore of rape about 2 years ago. He was tried and convicted, but was granted a new trial, which was to come off on the 27th ult.

DARIUS MYERS' RIVAL.

He Dilates Upon What He Wrote Before.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—My letter referring to the thirteen throne prediction appearing in your issue last Thursday, needs some further elucidation. First, I am no rival of Darius Myers, simply because Mr. Myers is a wholesale predictor, while I am a retailer. Mr. Myers' prediction takes in all this world and also part of the next. My predictions are confined within the narrow limits of the Democratic party, and have a more special bearing upon the reign of Grover the First. Mr. Myers' predictions are based upon Scripture, mine upon the constitution of the United States and the Omaha platform; hence there is no rivalry between Mr. Myers and myself. We both predict the destruction of the sinner; I go more into particulars, and point out how Grover the First and the Democratic congress will be punished by being annihilated in 1896. Second, the Populists will not usurp the place of the Lord and the apostles; because, after Grover and his henchmen have been punished and laid away in their political coffins, the trump of Gabriel will be heard and the sinners will arise, Cleveland and his henchmen being the first to come forth. Then Mr. Myers' predictions will be fulfilled and Grover and his henchmen will have to appear and receive their second punishment, which will cast them into the outer darkness, and they shall not escape from thence until they pay the last farthing. And as the gold of the goldbugs will not pass current in Prince Lucifer's dominions, it is safe to say that Grover and his henchmen will have a long stay, a steady job and a hot time of it varying their pastime in joining the chorus of "the wailing and gnashing of teeth."

ANDREW JACKSON.

Wants His Wife Arrested.

Yesterday City Marshal Morgan received the following dispatch from Los Angeles:

"Arrest for robbery Mrs. Carrie Hobbs, supposed to have left here going north last night. Answer. WALTER HOBBS."

No action was taken on the message, as it was not signed by an officer. Hobbs left Fresno with his wife a couple of months ago for Los Angeles. During last summer he was night watchman at the packing houses. While in Fresno Hobbs often spoke of his troubles with his wife, and charged her with being faithless to him. Hobbs is about 60 years old, and his wife is about the same age.

Something New.

A sure, speedy and positive cure for all kinds of coughs, colds, fevers, biliousness and liver complaints, and also a speedy and certain cure for private diseases at the Golden Rule Drug Store, where all kinds of pure drugs and patent medicines are sold cheaper than anywhere else in Fresno; where a doctor of long experience and a graduate of the best medical schools of Europe and America can be consulted and prescribed free of charge. Satisfaction guaranteed, Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street, next to Bank of Central California.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," "Lost," etc., will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line for each insertion. No single advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. In estimating the length of each advertisement count six words to the line for the first three lines of ordinary reading matter, and eight words to the line for all subsequent lines. Orders by mail promptly filled, but the cash should accompany each order.

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WHO WOULD like to pay for most of his board in work while attending school, to call at Republican office between 1 and 3 o'clock p.m. d28tf

WANTED—A GIRL TO COOK AND DO GENeral house work, at 607 R street. d28t3*

WANTED—FIVE YOUNG LADIES WHO wish to earn some money, to call today at M. L. CONEY'S chiropodist parlors, room 35 Fisk building. d25t3*

WANTED—THREE LADIES OR GENTLEmen of good appearance and address. Good opportunity for live parties. Call for PERINE at Pleasanton hotel, between the hours of 5 and 5 p.m. d25t3*

WANTED—DRIED FRUIT AND RAISINS for cash. JOHN H. LESLIE & CO., 1009 I street. d6tf

WANTED—THE I X L EMPLOYMENT office furnishes male and female help on short notice; 1147 J street. MRS. K. BRUCE and C. FEUGHT. n27tm

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS STUDENT IN dental office. Will be given a thorough and practical course and have use of instruments and library free. Applicant must have $50 in cash. Answer by letter, giving name, age and address. DENTIST, P. O. Box 712. d20d&wtf

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—POSITION ON SMALL VINEyard where I can do my own cooking. Address box 7, Republican office. d23t*

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN. LOT OF farming tools consisting of 2-horse farm wagon, 2-horse spring wagon, 2-horse plow, 5 foot revolving harrow, pruning shears etc., also a team of horses. At 1058 M street cor. of Kern. d28t1

FOR SALE—CLEAR AND COMMON LUMber at 948 N street. d25t6*

FOR SALE—STORE DOING NICE CASH BUSiness. Satisfactory reason for selling that will be explained. Enquire of A. B. SMITH with Wellman, Peck & Co., Fresno. d25t1

FOR SALE—CARLOAD OF CHOICE VENtura county apples, now on track. Call soon for bargain. O. E. ALLYN, Grand Central hotel. d25t3*

FOR SALE—GOOD PORT WINE, 1 YEAR old, at 20 and 25 cents per gallon. VON SCHMIDT'S vineyard, box 458, 5 miles northeast of Fresno. No wine sold on Sunday. dltim

FOR SALE—ALL THE FURNITURE IN Grant's hotel, Fowler. Purchaser will be given first chance to rent building. Inquire at hotel, Fowler. n10

FOR SALE—A GENTLE YOUNG DRIVING horse, harness and light phaeton, as good as new. All at a bargain. Address "D," box 2, this office. se14tf

FOR SALE—320 ACRES OF CHOICE ORange, fruit and alfalfa land; 2 houses; large barn; 3 water ditches through the track; 80 acres under board and wire fence; 2 miles north of Sanger. Price $20 per acre, terms to suit. J. G. ANDERSON, 939 J street. f16tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC

TO RENT—A 20-ACRE IMPROVED FARM 2 miles from town. Apply to C. SCHRODER Bradley block. d21t6*

FOR RENT—ALFALFA AND GRAIN LANDS. Apply to E. B. PERRIN, 1740 Tulare street, Fresno, Cal. d18tm

FOR RENT—A FIVE ACRE LOT WITH house and barn, half block from Tulare street car line. Apply to White Front Stores, 1027, 1029 and 1031 I street. d16

FOR RENT—SMALL LODGING HOUSE, centrally located, at low rate. Apply to J. W. SHORT, this office. jy17tf

FOR RENT—FOUR-ROOM, PLASTERED house in addition adjoining city. Good well and small stable. Apply to F. J. HABER. jy17tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—TO TRADE ONE LOT 25x150 FT. inside city limits, for horse and cart. Address H. D. LONG, Fresno. d28t6

WANTED—A BOY 19 YEARS OLD, WOULD like to find a home where he can go to school, and work for his board. Address J. TAYLOR, Wartham, Fresno Co. d27t3*

WANTED—TO BUY A LARGE SECOND hand oak desk—roller top or square. Address O. S. box 29, Republican office. d25t6*

WANTED—TO RENT A SMALL RANCH, ALfalfa preferred. M. H. UTTER, Fresno. d19t6*

EDUCATIONAL.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN FRENCH, GERMAN and Latin. Pupils waited on at their own homes. Edward A. L. Griffin, 1627 N st. d4t1m*

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—CAME TO MY PLACE, DEcember 16th, one heifer two years old, crop off right ear. Owner please remove and pay charges. N. N. HURFORD, one mile west of Fresno on White's Bridge road. d28t6wt1

TAKEN UP—CAME TO MY PLACE COR. Olenn and Nelson avenues, Tuesday evening, a small brown mare with two white feet, and star in the face part of harness on. Owner please call, pay charges and take away. W. F. PLATE. d21t1

FOR LEASE.

VINEYARDS TO LEASE—ONE OF 40 ACRES and one of 24 acres, with some grain land, on terms to suit renter. ED. H. COVALT, 1930 Mariposa street, rooms 1 and 2, or A. B. COVALT, ¾ mile north of Clifton P.O. d13tf

TO EXCHANGE

FOR EXCHANGE—FROM 2 TO $5,000,000 worth of good Eastern property for California lands. For particulars call on HABER BROS & CO., 1050 J street. d21m

LOST

LOST—FROM 2625 MERCED STREET A YELlow setter puppie about 2 months old, black eyes and mouth, red ribbon around neck. Finder please notify Mr. SOLOMON, 1058 I street, and get reward. d27t3*

ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—FROM PREMISES NEAR EASton, December 17th, three calves, one Durham and two Jerseys. Information leading to their recovery will be properly rewarded. HOMER PALMER. d28t6

ESTRAYED—SATURDAY DECEMBER 21st, from my place, a black and white brood sow, weight 150 pounds, chunky built, ear-cut to a point. Finder address JOHN CLIFTON, Fresno. d23t4*

COMMON SENSE HOLIDAY GIFTS!

When buying presents for the Holidays why not get something useful as well as ornamental?

McVey's Furniture Store now exhibits the largest and most varied stock of

FURNITURE

Ever seen in this city.

Wicker Rockers, Writing Desks, Combination Desks, Hat Racks, Parlor, Bedroom and Kitchen furniture and Carpets in choice and new designs.

W. F. McVey

At 1120, 1122 and 1124 J St.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

Notice of meeting of stockholders for the election of directors and officers and other business.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETing of the stockholders of the Fresno Flume and Irrigation Company has been called and will be held at the office of said company in the Fresno National Bank building on the corner of J and Tulare streets in the City of Fresno on Thursday, the 3d day of January 1895, at 1 o'clock p.m. of that day, for the election of directors and officers of the company and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. This notice is given in pursuance of a call in writing addressed to the secretary, signed and executed by the president of said corporation.

[SEAL] H. L. MUSICK,
As secretary of the Fresno Flume and Irrigation Company

Herbaline! THE MOST POWERFUL BLOOD TONIC.

Cures all disorders of the Blood, Bowels and Liver. The best remedy known for purifying the Blood. Has cured thousands and will cure you.

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For Sale by Smith Bros., Fresno

SAN JOAQUIN RESTAURANT — FINEST MEALS. — Board on European or American Plan — Everything New and First Class. — FRENCH CHEF—POLITE WAITERS — Prices Reasonable. — PETER BARISICH. 1912 Mariposa Street, - - Fresno.

GO TO THE GILT EDGE LUNCH COUNTER

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—FOR THE—

BEST 15 CENT MEAL IN TOWN.

GEORGE SCHORLING, Prop.

About Two Weeks Before the Ball

CUSTOM RULES THAT ABOUT 50 OR 100 . . . . QUARTER CARDS

Should be Carefully Displayed in the windows of Fresno Business Houses. . This is the neatest and most stylish way of announcing

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OUR FACILITIES FOR THIS CLASS OF WORK WARRANTS THE STATEMENT THAT WE CAN GIVE YOU

THE BEST WORK

To be obtained IN FRESNO.

Republican Job Department

HARRY BELL

THE TAILOR.

Suits to Order, - - - $12.50 Up.
Pants to Order, - - - $ 4.00 Up.

Flake Block, Up Stairs.

TAYLOR ALBIN'S MARKET

1725 and 1727 Mariposa St.

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Provisions, Tobacco, Confectionery.

—A SPECIALTY OF—

Fine Fresh Fruit and Vegetables!

—ALSO—

Fresh Fish, Clams and Oysters, German Salt Pickles, Kraut, Limburger, Swiss and Edam Cheese, Olives, etc.

Eggs, Butter and Poultry Handled.

Stockholders Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fresno Water Company will be held at the office of the company in the basement of the Fresno National Bank building, on Wednesday, the 9th day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transacting of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

Attest: JNO. J. SEYMOUR, President.
J. M. COLLIER, Secretary. d19td

REMOVAL!

—FRESNO—

Canal and Irrigation Company

Has moved its office to rooms 10 and 11, Temple Bar building, corner Mariposa and K streets.

REMOVED

To J Street, near Fresno, old P.O. Building.

Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, —AND— HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Of Every description bought, sold and exchanged.

D. R. BOWLING

DR. J. C. COOPER, Dentist.

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Stafford's commercial, quarts, per dozen.
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TULARE'S BARBARISM.

Commenting on an order of the Tulare county Board of Supervisors requiring more economy in the feeding of prisoners in the county jail, the Tulare Citizen says:

If there is any law of God or man that would sanction slow starvation as an additional punishment to that already administered for the crime of poverty we would suggest these gentlemen let it be known and not attempt to put it in operation under the hypocritical pretence of economy to the taxpayers, while drawing $150 per month from the people, a sum more than double that honestly earned. All men are not craven cowards or brutes in human form, and so sure as God lives there is to be a day of reckoning for crimes committed against humanity, even though it be done under the guise of law. If "history repeats itself," that day will come not only on this earth but in this "day and generation."

Possibly something of that sort is likely to happen, but we are not fully prepared to believe that the prediction in this instance is based upon facts. The statement in the first place that Tulare county contemplates the punishment of anybody by starvation is hardly credible, and it is rendered more difficult of belief when coupled with the statement that poverty is the crime to be punished.

We are not inclined to be skeptical, but without further evidence we cannot believe that the people of Tulare county are barbarians, and that the cruelties of Siberia are to be outdone in a more or less Christian community in California. We think it more probable that the writer of the above hysterical paragraph belongs to that unfortunate class of beings who have an unalterable antipathy for all kinds of facts which do not serve to bolster up their idea that the only object in life of all the people who do not subscribe to their peculiar creed or ism, is to grind the face of the poor and oppress the unfortunate. In other words, we believe the statement that there is a movement on the part of the officials of Tulare county to starve people for the "crime of poverty," to be an unmitigated falsehood and an infamous libel on intelligent and humane people. If it is true we are mistaken in the estimate we have placed on the people of that county, and if it is untrue, those people cannot afford to allow such an assertion to go uncontradicted merely on the ground that it is the drivel of a mind besotted with prejudice and fanaticism.

We are not, as a matter of course, entirely familiar with the conduct of affairs in Tulare county, but we know that in the courts of this county the cases of men arrested for vagrancy are given careful consideration, and that while the bum and the tough are often severely dealt with, the honest man out of work is not punished for his poverty. Over-zealous peace officers may occasionally arrest worthy men, but when brought before the courts they have only to show that they are men who are accustomed to work for a living and are willing to work when the opportunity is presented, and it is a kind word and often material assistance which they get instead of sentence to jail.

In Fresno county there is a strong sentiment of sympathy for deserving men out of employment, as public effort to assist the unfortunate has often shown, but it is not very much mixed with mawkish sentimentality regarding the dissolute and criminal element which insists upon living at the expense of honest and industrious men. If conditions and sentiment are different in Tulare county the fact is not generally known. If they are as different as the Citizen represents them to be, that paper has not commenced its crusade against barbarism a moment too soon.

NO SECESSION.

In an article referring to the competing railroad which does not compete, and under the caption "Fresno's Anger," the San Francisco Bulletin, on Thursday, said:

There is even some talk, in a high key, about seceding and setting up a new state in connection with the seven counties, including Orange, which have fallen under the sway of the weak-lunged of the east. It is evident that Fresno is very mad. It has to be said that there are some reasons for that frame of mind.

That serene good-nature is not Fresno's predominating characteristic just now need not be doubted; when the railroad's clutch is off her throat it will probably be different. But the fact justifies neither newspaper nor individual anywhere in falsifying the conditions as they exist down here.

"There is even some talk, in a high key, about seceding." The Bulletin is not the first San Francisco daily paper to give voice to this utter falsehood. It has appeared in at least one or two others, but the reputation of the others for truth and veracity, "in the community where they reside," is such that the statement, appearing in them, made little difference. The Bulletin, however, is looked upon by the public as a journal of another character. It is held to be reputable, and its editorial utterances are considerably trusted. Hence it is surprising that it should deliberately publish a statement which it must know to be false.

Fresno has at no time talked of seceding, and of course the Bulletin was aware of the fact when it said otherwise. There has been talk here, and very serious talk, of looking to the south for a competing railroad, and it has even been suggested that if we thus become identified in interest with the more enterprising part of the state, we will also naturally go with that portion whenever the state is divided, as it may not improbably some time be.

This, however, is not secession, nor is it "talk, in a high key, about secession." There will be no secession at any time in this state. If the commonwealth is divided it will be upon the agreement of the people of both sections, through their representatives.

Fresno is sorely dissatisfied and disgusted with her treatment by the great, big, dead-in-life city of San Francisco, but she has talked no secession, and a paper that means to be reputable, as does the Bulletin, should not so allege. Because Fresno believes that her salvation may be found in the south, it does not follow that she is a traitor.

THE PEOPLE PAY THE BILLS.

A recent financial review, issued by the banking house of Henry Clews & Co., says:

Some uneasiness is caused by the steady withdrawals of gold from the treasury, materially in excess of what is required for current exports of the metal. The drain appears to come from the banks and to be for their own account, and is probably caused by a desire to recoup themselves for the large amounts they parted with in their subscriptions for the late loan.

More gold was needed in order to keep up the reserve which, the administration fiction has it, is needed in the treasury. So the people were run in debt to the extent of $50,000,000 principal and nearly $50,000,000 interest on bonds, which bonds the bankers bought with gold taken from their coffers. Then the bankers in order to "recoup themselves" began to withdraw the gold from the treasury, until there is now less than $89,000,000 left and the administration danger point is not far away. When that point is reached it will be necessary to issue more bonds, or else it has been necessary to issue none whatever. So the game may be played interminably, and the people must pay the bills. In the meantime hundreds of millions of dollars lie in the treasury, and not a bond issue has been necessary, while their very legality is seriously questioned. Never was there a more transparent and shameless conspiracy between a government that can issue bonds, on the one hand, and a class that wants bonds as an investment, on the other. Nor can the attention of the people be too often or too emphatically called to these facts, for, though Cleveland and the banks are enjoying themselves, the people foot the bills—and those bills at present amount to $10,000,000 annually.

A PERSON representing an Eastern syndicate, whose business it is to travel around the world in search of freaks, has arrived in San Francisco. He need go no further. If he does not find all the freaks he wants in the Traffic Association and the Chamber of Commerce, he has only to turn his attention to the political jungles. He can scare up any number of freaks there who would be star attractions in any museum on earth.

RANDOM REMARKS.

Now that Breckenridge and Waite and Jerry Simpson and John J. Ingalls are all about to lecture, what's the matter with hiring a hall with four platforms and turning the eminent gentlemen loose on each other? There is no use giving up to despair before every remedy has been tried.

The Stockton Mail says there must be a genuine Democratic revival, and the Visalia Times indorses the idea. This would be splendid, were it not that in their admirable enthusiasm both the Mail and the Times neglect to tell what there is left to revive. Probably they have designs on Louisiana.

Cigarette-smoking hastened the death of Robert Louis Stevenson, and is killing Lord Randolph Churchill. This need not disturb Willie and Gussie and the rest of them any, however; they are quite different. Probably the laws that would apply to a Stevenson or a Churchill would never touch them; they might as well keep right on.

A dispatch says: "Ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt has left Dr. Parkhurst's church, and now prays at the Marble Collegiate Reformed church." THE REPUBLICAN takes pleasure in doing its little toward generally publishing the fact, so that the ex-Senator's guardian angel will be sure to find his ward before he misses too many prayers that ought to be valuable in the heavenly courts—as curios. Few people could imagine a more beautiful and touching sight than Boss Platt in prayer.

We all love dear, old, rubicund Santa Claus; but not roasted. This indiscriminate holocaust of Santa Clauses to make a Christmas holiday should be checked. Seventeen of them, masculine and feminine, north, south, east and west, have thus far been reported as burned in greater or less degree at Christmas tree festivities this season. The stock of them will give out after a while, and then the children will realize what a mistake has been made in using them to kindle the glad fires of holiday cheer. There should be a law providing that no more than three or four Santa Clauses should be touched off in the Christmas festivities of any one year.

"Marier," said Farmer Jaxon, after he had sat and thought for some time, "why's the path of glory like the Traffic Association? Give it up, hey! O' course you do! Well, it's because it Leeds but to the grave. Ha ha, ha ha hee he haw h—why in thunder don't you laugh? Don't see nothin' to laugh at, hey? Course you don't! Nothin' less'n auger bore'n idee into some folks' heads. Now listen. It LEEDS but to the GRAVE. See? LEEDS! L-double e-d-s, LEEDS! Don't see it, do you? Course you don't. I was merely remarkin' this looks like er wet season. Marier, d'you s'pose it's any wonder I'm a drinkin' man? Only wonder is I ain't a wreck. Leeds but to the grave; Lee—it's good, too."

A. J. W.

AN ORANGE SOCIAL.

Congregational Church Members Defy the Rain.

The "orange social" and entertainment prepared by the young ladies of the hospital committee of the Congregational church was spoiled by the rain last night, and the attendance did not exceed forty persons. During the afternoon the advisability of postponing the affair had been discussed, but as the social had been advertised, and some of the participants in the program were to come from a distance and could not be notified, it was decided to carry out the plan prepared.

The decorations of the social hall were orange, both in color and in fruity association. The young ladies wore orange bows, and the Adonises present sported orange wherever it could be worn.

A most attractive musical program had been arranged, and all the executants and vocalists were present, but it was decided that the program was worthy of a full attendance and the gathering resolved itself into a social one in the literal sense of the term. Vocal and instrumental attractions were contributed by Mrs. F. M. Lane, Misses Katie and Oinna Balthis, A. Carey and A. H. Rae-Brown, and after refreshments had been served, a march was struck up, to the strains of which the young people promenaded the hall till the hour of retiring.

A JAPANESE COLONY.

The Mikado's Subjects Avoid Chinatown.

There is a popular impression that the Japanese population of Fresno county when in town is scattered promiscuously through Chinatown, but anyone who knows the natural antipathy between the Japanese and Chinese, which long antedates the present war, will be prepared to learn that Fresno has a Japantown as well as a Chinatown. The two are seperated as widely as Judea and Samaria in the days of old. They are neighbors but not neighborly.

The Japs occupy a "reservation" of their own fixing at the corner of C and Kern streets, well removed from the degrading surroundings of Chinatown. There are six cottages on the lot, exactly alike in every respect. Only three of them are occupied at present, for the number of Japanese in Fresno dwindles to less than a hundred when the raisin season is over. Out of this 100 no fewer than 36 sleep in two of the cottages.

How they stow themselves away is a mystery, for the cottages are the smallest of their kind with four little "mouse-boxes" of rooms, and there is little evidence of beds or furniture of any kind. In his own country the Jap takes the greatest pride in his home, which is a model in the way of architectural work, elegantly furnished and with a garden which is the owner's joy and pride. In Fresno the home of the Jap is simply a shelter from the weather; a place to crawl into and sleep in; not greatly exalted above a dog kennel.

But the Jap is American in his way of living, patronizes American stores, and wears the costume of this country. He avoids Chinatown as he would a plague spot, and just now Chinatown is not a safe place for Japs to promenade in at the present time. He is sure to be insulted, and does not care to take chances of being mobbed.

Election of Officers.

At a special meeting at DeWitt hall last night, Court Yosemite No. 8128, A. O. F. of A., elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Roy Hall, C. R.; F. E. Hoppock, D. C. R.; M. Benas, financial secretary; Louis Harris, recording secretary; W. A. Bean, treasurer; William Renfro, S. W.; Schuyler Hess, J. W.; J. B. Daly, S. B; W. R. Mahoney, J. B.; Dr. J. D. Davidson, physician; J. O. Trout and J. B. McDonald, trustees; George Monroe, druggist; Professor E. M. Packard, organist.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

J Florence Welbe to Rosanna C Wilson, nw¼ of sec 28, t 13, r 20; $5.

M J and A S Duncan to Jas McCardle, w½ of ne¼ and ne¼ of ne¼ of sec 7, and nw¼ of nw¼ of sec 8, t 11, r 21; $10.

Farmers' Bank of Fresno to Ellie H Hogue, lots 30 to 32, blk 91, Fresno; $200.

J A Eastman and wife to H M Wood, se¼ or se¼ and e½ of e½ of sw¼ of sec 32, t 15 r 22; $10.

J P Vincent and wife to the Southern Pacific Railroad co, a right of way for the Pollasky railroad across certain described tracts of land; $5.

D G Snodgrass to August Roth, lot 15, blk 9, Union add to Selma; $5.

D C Tucker to Eli Henderson, lot 153, Washington colony; $10

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In the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor, plaintiff, vs. D. R. McKenzie, Frank Rule and W. J. Dickey, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled action to me directed was issued out of the superior court of the said county of Fresno on the 12th day of December, 1894, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 8th day of January, 1893, in favor of the defendant W. J. Dickey, defendant in said action, and plaintiff in his cross complaint filed in said action, against the defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule and the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor; and also in favor of the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee as aforesaid, against the said defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book vol. 4 of the said superior court at page 415, and is in favor of the said defendant W. J. Dickey upon his cross complaint for the sum of $585.53, costs of suit, together with the sum of $15 additional attorney's fees allowed by the court upon the appeal of said action to the supreme court, and also the further sum of $[illegible], together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs, and in favor of the said plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee of the estate of John Krohn, an insolvent debtor, against the defendants D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule for the sum of $[illegible], together with the costs and attorney's fees allowed to the said plaintiff in said action upon the foreclosure of his said mortgage against the two defendants, D. R. McKenzie and Frank Rule;

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged property to satisfy the two judgments aforesaid, first satisfying the judgment of the defendant and cross-complainant W. J. Dickey, and then the judgment of the plaintiff Miles Wallace, assignee, etc., with costs

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 24th day of January, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the westerly or front door of the courthouse in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale as follows, which said premises are situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, and are bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-three, in Township eight south, range twenty-one east, M. D. B. and M.; thence along the north line of said southeast quarter of northeast quarter fifteen chains east; thence at right angles south five and 6-100 chains; thence at right angles west twelve and 54-100 chains to the center of Fine Gold Creek, at a point five and 6-100 chains south of said north line of said southeast quarter of northeast quarter; thence westerly meandering along the center of said creek about three 54-100 chains to the west line of said southeast quarter of northwest quarter, and thence north along said west line two and 54-100 chains to point of beginning, containing about seven 9-16 acres, together with the improvements thereon including a ten stamp quartz mill, with all the machinery, engines, boiler etc., and all water and water rights belonging or appertaining thereto.

Also that certain mining claim situate on and near said Fine Gold Creek commencing just above and near said mill and running along the vein a distance of fifteen hundred feet up the creek known as the "Last Chance Mine" and particularly described in the location thereof as recorded in book "E" of Mining Claims at page 8, et seq., of Fresno county Records, located by D. R. McKenzie on the 11th day of February, 1881.

Also that certain quartz mining claim located on the 12th day of February, 1881, by Francis Rule, and known as the "Rule Mine," and recorded in book "A" of the records of the Fine Gold Mining district on the 17th day of February, 1881, and also recorded in book "E" of Mining Claims, pages 10 and 11, of records of Fresno county. Said mine being situated in Fine Gold Mining district and upon the north fork of Fine Gold creek, being an extension of the "Herbert vein" or "lode" of quartz bearing gold, and known as the "Henry Geseke claim," and being that portion of said vein or lode lying between the First Chance and the Last Chance mines, and being a strip of land extending five hundred feet, more or less, upon said vein together with three hundred feet on each side of said vein or lode. Reference is made to said records for a more particular description.

Also that certain mining claim well known as the "[illegible] Mining Claim," being fifteen hundred feet in length by six hundred feet in width, together with all improvements upon said properties, consisting of mill, office, boarding house, sleeping houses, blacksmith shop and tools and all mining tools upon said mines and mill site, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, December 14th, 1894.

D. J. GUGGENHIME,
Commissioner appointed by the Court to sell said property.

Frank H. Short, attorney for defendant and cross complainant W. J. Dickey. d29tf

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Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made.

No. 815.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Wilder, deceased.

D. HATCH AND JOHN CERINI, EXECUTORS of the estate of Henry Wilder, deceased, having filed their petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of a certain part of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth and as provided in the will of said deceased, it is therefore ordered by the court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said superior court on Saturday, the 25th day of January, 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in the court room of said superior court, in the court house, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be made and granted to said executors to sell, at public auction, the following described real estate of said deceased, to-wit:

East half (E½) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) and the southwest quarter (SW¼) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) of section thirty-four [34] in township sixteen [16] south, range nineteen [19] east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, in Fresno county, State of California.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Fresno Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated December 15th, 1894.

J. R. WEBB,
Superior Judge.

G. G. Freman, Attorney for Executors. d15td

Original Summons.

In the Justice's court of the third Township, county of Fresno, state of California.

B. M. Burris, agent, plaintiff, vs. Owen Murray defendant.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Owen Murray defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Justice's court of the third Township, County of Fresno, State of California, and to answer before the Justice at his office in the said Township, the complaint filed therein, this day and date, within five days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons if served within the Township in which this action is brought; or, if served out of said Township, but in said County, within ten days; or within twenty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought to recover a Judgment against you for the sum of $236.15 alleged to be due from you to plaintiff for goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered to you at your request at this Township within two years last past, and for costs of suit, as more fully appears by the complaint on file herein, to which you are referred.

And you are are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment against you for $236.15 and for costs.

Make legal service and due return hereof.

Given under my hand this 13th day of March, 1894.

H. Z. AUSTIN,
Justice of the Peace of said Township.

[Endorsed]
Original summons.
J. P. Meux, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Fresno, Cal d13.

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Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

The Union Trust Company of San Francisco, a corporation, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of A. H. Rutherford, deceased, substituted as plaintiff, in the place and stead of J. B. Wright, executor of the last will and testament of A. H. Rutherford, deceased, plaintiff, vs. Geo. A. Wilson, Minneola Orchard and Vineyard Company, a corporation, Robert G. Stitt, G. W. Davis, George C. Roeding, et al, defendants.

Order of foreclosure of sale No. 5713.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale issued out of the Superior court of Fresno, state of California, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1894, in an action in said court pending, wherein The Union Trust Company of San Francisco, a corporation, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of A. H. Rutherford, deceased, substituted as plaintiff, in the place and stead of J. B. Wright, executor of the last will and testament of A. H. Rutherford, deceased, was plaintiff, and Geo. A. Wilson, Minneola Orchard and Vineyard Company, a corporation, Robert G. Stitt, G. W. Davis, George C. Roeding, et al., were defendants; and wherein a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale were rendered on the 21st day of November, 1894, and filed November 21st, 1894, commanding me to execute the said judgment and to sell all that certain parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, described as follows, to-wit:

The fractional west half of section one [1], in township fourteen [14] south of range twenty one [21] east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing three hundred and nineteen and seventy-two hundredths [319.72] acres. and to pay from the said proceeds of such sale to the said plaintiff, or his attorney, the sum of $14,755.40 with interest; and to the defendant, Robert G. Stitt, or his attorney, the sum of $27,105.91, with interest, or so much thereof as the remainder of said proceeds would pay.

Due notice is given that on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m. of that day, in front of the door of the courthouse of the county of Fresno, state of California, in the city of Fresno, said county and state, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, December 13, 1894.

GEO. O. DUNCAN, Commissioner.

Mastick, Belcher & Mastick attorneys for plaintiff. d13

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Proving Will, Etc.

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Calvin M. Townsend, deceased.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE JUDGE and clerk of the court, made on the 19th day of December, 1894, notice is hereby given that Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the courtroom of said court, department No. 3, at the courthouse, in the city of Fresno, in said county of Fresno, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Calvin M. Townsend, deceased, and for hearing the application of Mary A. Townsend and Alice M. Herdegan for the issuance to them of letters testamentary when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk.
By ANGUS CLARK, Deputy Clerk.

Dated December 19, 1894. d20td

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Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno State of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. Albert C. Williams, Phillscott, et al., defendants.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale, No. 6112.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the above entitled Court on the 10th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, in which said action the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the defendant, Albert C. Williams, for two thousand three hundred sixteen and 20-100 dollars ($2316.20), besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 5th day of December, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said Court, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Being the south half [S½] of the northwest quarter [NW¼] of section thirty-four [34], in township numbered fifteen, [15] south of range numbered twenty-two [22] east, Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m., of said day, in front of the court house door in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment as above stated, with interest and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

O. SCRIBNER,
Commissioner Appointed by the Court in above entitled action.

Dated this December 11th, 1894.

J. F. Cowdery, Attorney for Plaintiff. d11td

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Satur 5 50 a.m. ar. El P. lv. 6.10 p.m. Friday
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Stockholders Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN annual meeting of the stockholders of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN Publishing Company will be held at the office of the company Nos. 947, 949 J street, on, Wendesday the 2d day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

d19td WILLIAM GLASS, Secretary.

Report of the Condition — OF THE — First National Bank OF FRESNO.

At Fresno, in the State of California, at the close of business, December 19th, 1894.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$411,213 90
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		520 31
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		32,723 42
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		44,085 16
Other real estate and mortgages owned		18,051 67
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)		5,128 35
Due from State banks and bankers		31,595 31
Due from approved reserve agents		64,582 58
Checks and other cash items		481 02
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		180 64
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 47,170 00	
Legal tender notes	2,935 00	
		50,105 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		1,125 00
Total		$680,052 87

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	135,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	25,017 18
National bank notes outstanding	22,500 00
Due to State banks and bankers	14,486 62
Individual deposits subject to check	209,932 53
Demand certificates of deposit	173,086 04
Certified checks	20 00
Total	$680,052 87

State of California, County of Fresno, ss.

I, E. A. Walrond, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. A. WALROND, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of December, 1894.

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[SEAL]

Correct—Attest: C. L. WALTER, O J. W. ODWARD, T. C. WHITE, Directors.

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Part 18 contains the following 18 lovely views: Giant, Catfish and Young Faithful Cones; Prairie Aome of a Cree Indian; Ferry across Red River of the North; Dells of Sioux River; Lover's Leap; The Devil's Notch; Danger Rock; Signal Rock; Cabinet Gorge; Needle Points; Cathedral Rock; Summit of Harney's Peak; View of Bear Butte; Harney's Peak; Horseshoe in Elk Canyon; Wedge Rock, near Custer; Beecher Rocks; a Chamber in Crystal Cave.

Part 19 embraces the following 25 beautiful photographs: The Chancel, Crystal Cave; Devil's Thumb; the Devil's Chair; the Devil's Tower; Tea Table Rock, Dome Rocks; Squaw's Chamber, Dells of the Wisconsin; the Narrows; Castle Tower; Crow Butte and Signal Rock; Skylight Cave, Dells of the Wisconsin; Cliff near Mouth of Witches' Gulch; Hawk's Bill, Falls of St. Anthony; the Fairies' Retreat; Witches' Gulch; Whirlpool Chamber; Minnehaha Falls in summer; Romance Cliffs; Signal Rock, near Camp Douglas; Minnehaha Falls in winter, Hornet's Nests, Dells of the Wisconsin; Cleopatra's Needle; Cleft Rock, Devil's Lake; Bridge over the St. Croix River.

Certainly there is enough variety in these views, and they are all as excellent as the most perfect artist in photography can make them. Beautiful as are the pictures, they are more charming than is the author's descriptive text.

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Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4

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TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:

1.10 A. M.—[illegible] NOBLES EXPRESS—Daily, for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside.

3.10 A. M.—EXPRESS—Daily, For Goshen, Merced, New nan, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

7.25 A. M.—"SUNSET LIMITED"—Sundays only for Mendota, Tracy, Port Costa, Oakland and San Francisco only.

7.30 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday for Lathrop and all way stations.

8.00 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily. For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.

9.10 A. M.—SUNSET EXPRESS (via Martinez)—Daily, For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

12.05 P. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday, For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 3.45 p. m.

3.13 P. M.—"SUNSET LIMITED"—Thursdays only; vestibuled train running through to New Orleans.

4.00 P. M.—PASSENGER TRAIN—Daily, except Sunday, for Berenda, Raymond and all way stations.

5.30 P. M. MIXED TRAIN—Daily, For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations. Sundays only runs through to Poso, returning Mondays only.

5.50 P. M.—SUNSET ROUTE ATLANTIC EXPRESS—Daily, For Los Angeles, New Orleans and East.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, December 28—Observation taken at 6 o'clock in the afternoon:

Barometer	30.10
Temperature	53
Dew point	47
Humidity, per cent	81
Wind, S, miles per hour	2
Maximum temperature for past 24 hours	56
Minimum temperature for past 24 hours	46
Rainfall past 24 hours, inches	.00
Total rainfall for season, inches	4.95

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Get your meals at the City Bakery and Restaurant, 1038 I street.

Pattee & Lett Co. are still buying raisins at highest market price.

Seventh annual ball of the Fresno Volunteer Fire Dept. New Years Eve.

What is "Fresno No. 1!" The only "FANCY PATENT FLOUR" in the market.

Dr. Southard, the oculist, will be at Dr. Rowell's office Sunday, December 30th.

See the ad of the Fresno Nursery Company in another column on this page.

W. B. Good of Selma was in Fresno yesterday on business before the superior court.

Yesterday morning Constable Matheson arrested six persons on the charge of vagrancy.

Theo. Madson has returned to Fresno, and will resume his old place as instructor in the Fresno Business College.

The members of the Volunteer Fire Department will give their 7th annual grand masquerade ball on New Year's eve.

F. Peter, costumer from San Francisco, is at the Grand Central with an elegant line of costums at resonable rates.

On account of heavy snow on Pine Ridge, the flume company has quit sending lumber down, at least for the present.

In the suit of W. B. Baker against N. C. Hansen in Judge Harris' court yesterday, judgment was given for the plaintiff.

The members of the K street Methodist church made their pastor, Rev. D. H. Gillan, a handsome present of $25 in coin for Christmas.

The new hotel at Clovis will be opened on New Year's day. It is a creditable structure, three stories high, and contains twenty rooms.

San Francisco will take six months more time in which to subscribe one dollar per capita to the railroad which the people of Fresno are told to hope and pray for.

The M. E. Church South at Clovis is nearing completion. It was built almost exclusively by labor and material donated. About all the money expended was for nails, paint, fixings and glass.

Meat as low as 4 or 5 cents a pound at the Ideal meat market, 1929 Mariposa street. The very best steaks also cheaper than ever. Fifty fine fat turkeys dressed to order. Free delivery to any part of the city. Tipton & Pugh, proprietors.

The junior class of the high school will give a social at Kutner Hall next Friday evening. It will be open for all the high school pupils and the alumni. Those who are at home from the universities for the holidays will be able to attend, as this will be before the reopening of school.

The Young People's Society of the Christian church, held its semi-annual business meeting at the residence of the pastor on Thursday evening. After the meeting was over those in attendance were treated to a pleasant surprise in the way of ice cream and cake. A pleasant social evening was spent.

All little girls between eight and fifteen years of age, who would like to learn to sew and are in need of garments, are invited to attend the first session of the "Little Women's Sewing Class" to be held at Kutner hall Saturday January 5th, at 9.30 o'clock a.m. Material and instruction will be given free to all those who are needy.

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We have on hand about 60,000 cigars, consisting of odds and ends, which we desire to dispose of and offer same at and below cost. It would pay dealers to see these goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we can save them 25 per cent on all goods. We have cigars from $15 per thousand upwards. R. Ruben & Son. *

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And have some of those fine fricadelles and a glass of Extra Pale at the Old Palm Garden.

The rage—Fresno Frozen Perfume. *

Moline plows and extras at Barrett, Hicks & Co's. *

F. A. Foin has had practical experience in his business since 1849, and if you have had trouble in getting good work done in tinning and plumbing, give him a call. All work warranted first-class, and reasonable charge. F. A. Foin & Son; Fresno street, below the old postoffice. *

Bone phosphate at D., E. & Co's. *

Pruning shears, saws, etc., at Donahoo, Emmons & Co's. *

Best assortment of heating and cook stoves in San Joaquin valley at Barrett, Hicks & Co's.

[illegible] Henderson pays the highest price [for] county script and coyote claims, [illegible] J street. *

New and second hand buggies, road wagons, phaetons, carts and spring wagons for sale for little money, [illegible] well, 200 J street.

WON'T SHAKE LOOSE.

BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE TERRY BLOCK.

Still Waiting Stoically in Hope That Something Will Turn Up.

The Board of Education was to have met in special session last evening, but on account of the absence of Trustee Hadsell the meeting was not called to order. The purpose of the call for the meeting was the consideration of the new status of the Terry block title muddle occasioned by the appointment of Thomas Williams of Stockton as temporary guardian of Mrs. Terry's estate in place of Porter Ashe. Whether his appointment will cancel all proceedings so far in regard to Porter Ashe's petition in the San Francisco superior court to sell the Terry block, is not definitely known as yet. If Williams can proceed with the petition as it stands now, it can be acted upon by the court in a few days. If Williams has to begin proceedings all over again it will take a month or more before the title can be cleared.

It seems as if the three members favoring the Terry block are as determined as ever to have that for the location of the new high school building. A member of the board stated that the reason why the meeting was not called to order last night was because Hadsell was not present to break the tie between Church and Cummings, who favor the Terry block, and Eden and Gallagher, who oppose it. It is supposed that Hadsell is yet in favor of the Terry block. The board will meet tonight, when it is expected that a full attendance will be present.

The members of the board, who were present, discussed the matter in a desultory way. Gallagher suggested that the board proceed today in a body to the Central block and find out what will be the best that can be done, if the new building is to be put there. The suggestion was not adopted. W. N. Rohrer, the agent in the sale of the Terry property, was present. He stated that Williams, the new guardian appointed temporarily, was very anxious to sell the property. When Rohrer explained to him the state of affairs, Williams expressed himself as very desirous of helping the board out and was willing to give an indemnity bond to guarantee that the title will be cleared as soon as possible. Mr. Rohrer stated that something definite can be known by the first of next week.

"Well, we can't afford to wait much longer now; that's sure," said Trustee Cummings, and the matter was dropped.

Here one of those peculiar proceedings of the board was talked of among themselves, but of course it was not rescindable. According to the direction of the board, school was in session last Monday except in three grades. The board decided to have a vacation during the last four days of this week and on Tuesday of next week. School was to be in session, however, on the Mondays of both weeks.

Miss Root of the Park avenue school, Miss Norton of K street and Miss Ely of C street, were given permission by certain members of the board to dismiss their classes on both Mondays, as they wished to spend their Christmas at home, and five days were too short a time. Just why three grades out of thirty-four should be dismissed in order that those three teachers might go home for Christmas was not explained.

A CANAL FROM SUMMIT LAKE.

Farmers of That Locality Move for Water Transportation.

William Wilkinson of Summit Lake is here as a representative of fifteen business men of that vicinity who are intending to construct a navigable canal from there to Fresno slough. He is here in order to ascertain just what steps are being taken by our business men in reference to a canal, and reports that the men whom he represents are prepared for business, and will begin work on the enterprise within the next sixty days.

Kroeger School Roll of Honor.

The pupils who obtained 80 per cent or more in the several studies for the term ending Friday, December 21st, in Kroeger school are as follows: Gay Dunlap 92, Thomas Hendry 91, Vandrey Hague 96, John Landrum 93, Willie Brooks 89, John Anton 90, Viola Landrum 100, Bertha Hutchens 96, Maude Hendry 98, Emma Lane 94, Willie Brown 91, Charles Wofford 86, Bernhart Newman 91, Harold Newman 92, Willie Landrum 91, Guy Wofford 80, Ira Husted 85, Charles Lawrence 81, Mabel Lawrence 97, Maude Dickinson 92, Mabel Archibald 86, Leslie Doolittle 82, Frank Young 85, Arthur Nettleson 97, Elsa Barker 97, Erma McCourt 97, Blanche Raymer 97, Claudia Hendry 96, Fred Case 95, Leon Raymer 91, Edith Raymer 93, Gracie Brooks 95, Chester Halbert 91, Maggie Wilson 91, George Wilson 91, Roy B. Zepperlen 91, John McFarlane 93, Hazel Holmes 95, Venia Hendry 93, Lysle Case 90, Edith Archibald 92, Rose Nettleton 95, Gertrude Harrison 91, Mamie Harrison 94, Maggie Wofford 92, Christina Parker 92, Mabel McFarlane 98, Clarence Brooks 96, Parker Lane 90, Willie Zepperlen 98, Archie Hendry 92, George Archibald 93, Willie Holmes 91, Elwood McCourt 95, Hazel Raymer 96, Louise Zepperlen 93.

R. McCOURT,
MRS. F. BARKER, Teachers

A Mexican on the Warpath.

Deputy Constable Con Anges and Jack Welty yesterday left for the foothills with a warrant for the arrest of a Mexican whom Michael Burns charges with assault with intent to kill. According to Burns' story the Mexican was driving over his land and he remonstrated with him. The Mexican went home and secured a shotgun. He returned to Burns' place, and when near the house he alighted from his wagon and took a shot at Burns, who was standing in the yard. The shot struck all around Burns but he was not hurt.

Extra Inducements.

Very few houses are as wide awake as the Great American Importing Tea Co. of this city. They are continually seeking something out of the usual run for their patrons. A short time since they sold tumblers at three cents each. Could not be duplicated elsewhere at ten cents. They are now selling fancy cups, saucers and plates at fifteen cents each with their teas and coffees, which are the best on the market. They give free sugar and cream chocolate.

A. J. Paterson, Piano Tuner

At Riege's, 1800 Mariposa street. *

For Family Liquors

Go to the Bodega, 1021 J street, as you can get the best there. *

For Old Kentucky Whiskies

Go to the Columbia, 1019 J street, Kaiser Bros. No compound; only straight goods. Sold by quart or gallon at lowest prices. *

The most grizzly and faded beard can be colored beautifully by Buckingham's Dye. *

Lamps and gas fixtures, large assortment, at Barrett, Hicks & Co. *

Pure prepared paints, oils and varnishes at Barrett, Hicks & Co., agents for W. P. Fuller.

Fine line of [illegible] gas fixtures always in stock at [illegible] Hicks & Co's.

Gypsum at D[illegible] [E]mmons & Co.*

WHAT IS YOUR GRIEVANCE?

A Correspondent Casts a Horoscope of the Future.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Have the people a grievance? This question can be answered affirmatively in the most emphatic terms. Away back in the dim and obscure past, at the dawn of light, of thought, reason and intelligence, man's first want was his first grievance. The people had their grievances when they formed the first organized body for the mutual protection of life against the ravages and depredations of the wild beasts of the forest.

The first chief of a tribe was no doubt given his power and authority because of dissatisfaction somewhere. Monarchy was enthroned because there was tribal strife, want, and a desire to be abated and gratified.

Republican institutions were founded because of the desire for more liberty and freedom. The mind was beginning to emerge from the dark and barbarous past into an advanced civilization, which promised and did bring a superior social and intellectual liberty.

The world does and will ever point with pride to these old institutions of many centuries. Kingcraft and priestcraft there received its greatest defeat.

In the onward steps of progress evolution again reluctantly brings about its apparent troubles, this time in the favor of chattel slavery, with its attendant evils, demoralization and inertia. The advanced intelligence of the nineteenth century's thought demanded that this blight be removed. The demand was not heeded, and the consequence is best told in the pages of history.

We are now getting near home. What are our grievances? What is yours? It is a difficult question to answer in detail and in all its bearings; for they are as multitudinous and infinite as the sun's rays, and are so entwined and interwoven with our complex social and governmental fabric that it becomes a deep problem. We hear talk of oppression and injustice and the cry of the discontented masses cannot longer be concealed. In the great cities of the east poverty and want stare thousands of honest and industrious people in the face.

The French revolution was precipitated by a spirit of discontent, a grievance long ignored, and yet, still persistently demanded to be set aright by the common people. Their just and reasonable demands went unheeded until suppressed human nature could stand no more.

Then came the reign of terror, devastation and bloodshed, to which there are few parallels in history. The just and righteous demands of a people must not be too long denied. Our patriotic forefathers had their long and patiently-borne grievances too, and as a result witness the many battlefields and long campaigns endured with fidelity and courage.

We may turn the pages of history in vain for a more just and patriotic cause. Liberty as then known was crowned and enthroned again for the first time.

The board of health of New York city is authority for the statement that many thousand children die annually in that great city from want of sufficient food and clothing. This is not a rare nor exceptional case of distress, but exists elsewhere as well, but probably in modified and different forms. Political economists say that the wealth of the country is being rapidly concentrated in the hands of the few.

Dissatisfaction and a spirit of discontent seem to prevade the industrial classes as never before. Now what is the cause of all this? Evidently it is close at hand, for every effect has its legitimate cause. There is nothing wrong in nature that any one has discovered. Progress moves on with impartial tread now as in the past. If this be true, and there be no natural phenomena to account for the present condition of things, then it follows as a sequence that there is something radically wrong and perverted in man and in society. Now the question is to place the wrong, the burden and the injustice were they belongs.

Let us look into this briefly without prejudice, dispassionately and free from any possible bias. As patriotic American citizens and members of society, it is truth at all times, and nothing but the truth that we want.

I shall now attempt to enumerate a few of the more glaring evils and grievances as I see them. False education, wrong thinking, and ignorance are the root of nearly all the evil and vice in society. When people think correctly they will act aright, thus controlling themselves and influence society in general. The false religious thought that dominated the Old World in the dark ages still clings to society to a great extent, kept alive by the momentum it received in the gloomy past. Doubtless it suited the feeling, thought and mentality of that benighted and semi-barbaric age, but it does not fit in this somewhat advanced day. Superstition, creeds and dogmas have held the mind in bonds of iron long enough.

Mental bondage seems to me to be far worse than chattel slavery, for without the former the latter does not exist. Let us come out into the sunlight of a true natural and and progressive religious thought and many of the ills that now afflict mankind will be a thing of the past.

False political thought; party spirit cannot be gotten rid of at once. The desire to possess authority seems to farinate the mind now as much as ever. So long as this feeling exists, so long will people perpetuate party and the intense bitterness of partisanism. Washington said in his farewell address that if the liberty of the United States was ever destroyed, it would be through the blind adherence to party and to intense party spirit. The different parties forget the people's interests in the desire to further their own; things that are common and patent to every one and on which the people should be united, on these very things they are absolutely and hopelessly divided, it seems.

This being the case it would seem that the preponderance of blame necessarily falls back upon the people who elect the men that make our laws. I blame the people for the things they see the evil of, yet through the influence of their political and religious prejudices, they will not correct and set aright, for blindly following a corrupt and venal leadership, and stupidly adhering to false and antiquated doctrines.

Now for the evils for which we are not to be blamed; those that have been entailed upon us for ages and which have been handed down as our birthright to try our courage, character and convictions. I shall not attempt to discuss minutely our grievances in full, but shall merely sketch them as briefly as possible.

The centralization of wealth and the enthronement of corporate power was foreseen and deplored by that good man, Abraham Lincoln. He clearly foresaw the dangers that this greedy and rapacious power would bring about; the evils of class and special legislation; the national banking system, with its merciless greed; speculators gambling in stocks and driving a bargain in death itself, and selling the God-given sunshine and even the air we breathe; gamblers dealing in futures, that is, dealing in and bargaining product before it is made. Through the dire influence of these monopolies the life, feeling, sympathy and kindness is near about extinct in millions of honest and industrious people. The object of this power is to perpetuate divisions with the people, thereby keeping them blinded to their real interests.

Out of the evils named have grown that other gigantic evil, the saloon and its influence. The various parties bargain and dicker for its political influence and following. It invades the councils of the nation and even diverts legislation. These are a few only of the many grievances upon us.

Shall we sit supinely by and submit to these outrages on humanity without even raising a warning finger?

The basis and root for the greatest evils, and on which they are grown and nurtured is: First, ignorance and superstition; second, our prejudices; third, want of confidence, the offspring of prejudices; fourth, the want of confidence begets distrust and competition, and fifth, the child of competition is strife and monopoly with its grinding, crushing and merciless tread, walking over the earth seeking whom it may devour. The crisis is upon us. On which side will you be arrayed? It is to be hoped you will be on the side of right, reason, justice and humanity. The best thought of our advanced thinkers, and our common people, demand a change for the better. If society does not heed this reasonable demand, the unalterable and remorseless laws of progress and evolution will answer the call by snapping a nation asunder.

You may set it down as an axiom that if society does not move and keep pace with the evolution of thought, a terrible social convulsion usually follows. Society may be retarded in its growth and receive many setbacks, but the laws of universal progress never cease. Let us hope that no such calamity as has been depicted will ever engulf our home and country. Let us with the drawn sword of reason, enlightened conscience and love for humanity meet the enemy half way, face to face, and his defeat will be sure and certain.

Then will be ushered in an era of prosperity, peace, love, tranquillity and good fellowship. J. S. A.

Temperance, December 26, 1894.

ACCUSED OF LIBEL.

Thomas Sinnott Wants J. W. Ferguson Arrested.

The San Francisco Chronicle of yesterday has the following, which is partly self explanatory:

"A warrant was issued yesterday in police court 2 for the arrest of J. W. Ferguson, manager of the Fresno Expositor, for misdemeanor libel. Thomas Sinnott of 41 West Mission street is the person who feels that his character and standing in the community has been injured by an article published in the paper mention. In one of the local daily newspapers a story was published several weeks ago setting forth that Sinnott's face had been slapped by a Third-street politician and saloon keeper because of trouble growing out of statements made in the saloon that Sinnott was spending lots of money which he had received for doing certain work in the McWhirter murder trial in Fresno. The Expositor, in reproducing the account of the street fight, published the additional information that Sinnott was unable to distinguish the difference between his own and other people's property, particularly if the property happened to be clothing. As a result, so the paper states, Sinnott was taken in hand by the sheriff, and later became a guest of the commonwealth at San Quentin. Afterward Sinnott retired to private life, "having performed a considerable service for the state." Sinnott sets forth in his complaint that these statements, as published by the Expositor, have done him a grievous injury, and affected his standing. He asks that Ferguson be arrested and punished for the slander."

Inquiry here shows that at the time the Expositor published the article referred to J. W. Ferguson was not editor of the paper, and had nothing to do with the article in any way. Thomas Sinnott was a clerk in R. B. Terry's office here in 1889.

Pleasant Birthday Party.

Miss Lillie Kaiser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaiser, was agreeably surprised on Thursday evening at the Odd Fellows' hall by her friends and the members of the Rebekah Lodge. The young lady had been invited to the hall, and on entering she found her friends assembled there and set about to entertain them. Dancing, games and social conversation occupied the early part of the evening and until a delightful repast was served. Miss Genevieve Swain presided at the piano and furnished music for those who wished to dance.

Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaiser, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pickford, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Traves, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Will Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander, Mrs. Burks, Mrs. Barnaby, Mrs. Mawhiney, Mrs. McMullen, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Schurz, Mrs. Spinney, Mrs. Botringe, Misses Lillie Kaiser, Julia Hand, Genevieve Schwarz, Alice Hopkins, Carrie Ebner, Kate Ebner, Maude Hand, Flora Ford, Lottie Morgan, Mynie McVey, Clara Kaiser, Belle McNab, Lillie Scott, Maggie Mitchell, Agnes Freeland, Josie Wagner, Genevieve Swain, Annie Knoblock, Ida Alexander, Minnie Cohen, Maggie Blacksill, Hattie Barnaby, Flora Barnaby. Messrs. Dave Adams, Will Ebner, Mat McHugh, Will Urmey, Will Holmes, J. Eglin, John Murgan, A. M. Drew, Will McMullen, Mark Hutchinson, B. T. Scott, Harry Hender, Will Mitchell, Ed Greeley, Ralph Swain, F. W. Clapman, Frank Montague, Walter S. Smith, Will Blacksill, Al Blacksill, Duke Baird, James Baird, A. J. Shields, Earl Hopkins, A. C. Tait, B. F. Kite, Jones Remige and Professor Munro.

A Fresno Politician.

A dispatch to the San Francisco Examiner from Lansing, Mich., has the following:

Dr. Horace S. Grant of Fresno, who created a sensation in this city last week by announcing himself a candidate for United States senator, was adjudged insane and taken to a private asylum today. Upon all ordinary subjects the unfortunate man is perfectly sane, but he is crazy over politics.

Frauds

Exist in many forms, but there is no fraud that is more contemptible than the one of substitution. Of all the substitution frauds there is none which perpetuates a greater outrage upon the consumer than the substitution of

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for Cottolene, which is the only reliable, wholesome and healthful shortening upon the market. Don't be induced to purchase

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DEATH ON FOXES.

A FRESNO COUNTY DOG'S BRILLIANT RECORD.

Sixty-five Foxes and Thirty-one Wild Cats Captured Within a Year.

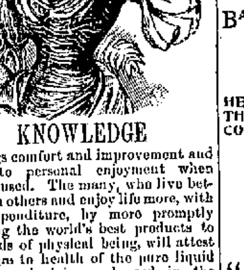
E. W. Hackett, a resident of Sand Creek, near Squaw valley, has a dog which does not trot in the ordinary class. The dog is a fair-sized yellow fellow, with a good deal of shepherd blood in his veins, and his specialty is hunting on his own account. It is not healthy to be a wildcat or a fox in the vicinity where he lives, and Mr. Hackett's cabin is pretty well lined with the trophies of his skill. Thus far this season he has brought to their death 65 foxes and 31 wildcats.

When night comes the dog goes hunting; that is, he does so if his master lets him out of the house and gives him an opportunity. Once out of doors, in a little while he has treed a cat or captured a fox. In the former event, he barks until his master comes and shoots the untameable kitty. The result of his winter's work, given above, demonstrate how faithfully he attends to his self-appointed business.

A rather curious fact connected with the dog's hunting experience is that on the neck of one of the foxes he recently ran to earth was a collar with a ring on it, indicating that its cunning wearer had been somebody's captive, and had escaped and started out to see life and death.

Mr. Hackett's dog may not be worth $4500, but probably he would not wish to take much less than that for him.

The trial of Frank Cronin was held before a jury in Judge Austin's court yesterday. The trial resulted in a hung jury. Cronin is suspected of being the leader of a petty thieving gang which the officers rounded up a few weeks ago on the San Joaquin river. Another trial will be held next week.



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Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every object[ionab]le substance.

Syrup of [Figs is] for sale by all druggists in 50c [and $1 bo]ttles, but it is manufactured by [the Cali]fornia Fig Syrup Co. only, whose [name is] printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

A HOPELESS CASE,

evidently. It's all up with 1894; the doctor says so. Had there been any chance, our drugs would have been effective. They never fail to benefit in cases that admit of cure. The fact could not be otherwise, as all our prescriptions are prepared by expert pharmacists from drugs invariably fresh and absolutely pure and free from adulterants. The best physicians in Fresno prefer to have their prescriptions put up by us for that reason. We enjoy their confidence, because we merit it. It is also well to note on the first page of your diary for 1895 that we carry a full line of toilet and manicure articles at the lowest prices.

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Those Genuine Dongola Kid Ladies' Shoes, narrow square toes and tips, $1.25.

Those Fleece Lined, Cloth House Slippers, leather or felt soles, $1.00.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of Fritz Paatsch, an Insolvent debtor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL THE creditors who have proved their claims against the above named insolvent to appear before the said court, at the court room of Department No. 8 thereof, on the 11th day of January, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a.m., and show cause if any they have why the said Fritz Paatsch insolvent should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Dated December 7, 1894.

W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk.
By L. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk. d8t30

Report of the Condition

—OF THE—

FRESNO NATIONAL BANK

At Fresno, in the state of California, at the close of business December 19, 1894:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 368,895 78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,948 27
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc	1,289 84
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	35,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	35,991 86
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)	51 93
Due from state banks and bankers	3,541 70
Due from approved reserve agents	8,499 70
Checks and other cash items	5,504 56
Exchanges for clearing house	168 81
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	121 15
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.: Specie $21,405 00	
Legal tender notes 825 00	21,230 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	600 00
Total	$ 536,001 19

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	18,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	793 76
National bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	112,848 84
Demand certificates of deposit	110,622 64
Bills payable	48,740 95
Total	$ 536,001 19

State of California, County of Fresno, ss.

I, H. D. Colson, president of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. D. COLSON, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of December, 1894. C. ALLISON TELFER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: JOHN McMULLIN, JOHN D. GRAY, D. A. REED, Directors.

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A medium long waisted Corset made of fine quality satteen, fine lining, linen tape at waist, three broad good back wires, trimmed with imported edging and flossed with silk. These are made to be worn with the present style of dresses, and as well as stylish will be found very comfortable and durable.

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Made of coutille, with satteen strips, triple back wires, linen tape at waist, long waisted, genuine bones, imported trimming and silk flossing. Will fit any good figure and improve the form. They are made to fit well and wear.

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FUN IN BILL POSTING.

HUMOR IN A BUSINESS WHERE YOU WOULDN'T LOOK FOR IT.

Picturesque and Mirthful Effects Produced With Paste Pot and Brush—Devils and Angels Are Incongruously Mixed Up. "Post No Bills" Goes.

All trades have their droll aspects, but that of the billposter is one long vista of fun. He may become an artist comedian of the first order. It does not require much brain weight either. An old fence is his only arena, and his posters are his stock in trade.

His fun is but momentary, but it is potent while it lasts. He accomplishes it by means of the combinations he is forced to make when he posts new bills over the old ones. Some of the combinations are very funny. That he is forced to become a mirth producer whether he will or no, but there are some among the men who get their livelihood in this manner who intentionally place the new bills where they will produce the oddest if but momentary effects.

A reporter watched one of these [illegible]s of the pasta pot while he proceeded to cover up a rather flaming picture of his satanic majesty with a bill which portrayed a naval officer in full uniform. The first section put on was the officer's head. As it fitted exactly [illegible] to Mephisto's shoulders the effect was comical. The next section brought the naval man down to the bottom of his coat. From a short distance it appeared precisely as though he was minus his nether garments and stood bare legged in the rising flames which enveloped him to his knees. The billposter chuckled as he surveyed his work at this point and asked the reporter what he thought of it while he covered the officer's nakedness with a pair of trousers and shoes.

The billposter was quite talkative in his way and spoke of the droll side of his business. "Did it never occur to you," said he as he picked and sorted some flaming colored bills preparatory to pasting them on the fence, "did it never occur to you what an odd and amusing business this is? You saw me put a uniform on the devil. Funny, wasn't it? Well, it wasn't a patch to the effects produced sometimes. These bills have to be changed nearly every week, and the posters get fixed up in the queerest way. I've put angels' heads on devils and devils' heads on angels. I've put a man with a dress coat on where a ballet girl was, so that it looked as though the skirts branched out below where the coat was. I left it there for a moment while I pasted other bills, and quite a crowd gathered around. A policeman came along, and I had to cover it up.

"Once I had a Salvation Army poster to put up, and when I pasted the top portion of it over a bill advertising the play of 'Julius Cæsar' the large blue bonnet of the Salvation Army girl fitted Cæsar perfectly. It was too bad I had to spoil it."

"You see that ballet girl on the fence over there? I have got to paste this big cat over it. Now watch me do it."

He took a section of a bill with the head of a grinning feline on it and placed it so that it fitted to the girl's shoulders. A halo surrounded the cat's head, and the whole affair had a puss in boots air about it that reminded one of early fairy tales. Near by on the fence was a heroic size negro minstrel, whose immense teeth showed through lips which stretched form ear to ear.

"Now see how I will fix that fellow," said the man of the brush as he got ready a bill on which a large tiger was represented balanced on a big blue ball. The tiger's position was on the upper part of the poster. The first section fixed the animal's head on the fence, and with the next the body and feet were pasted up. Then appeared a curious effect. Where the blue ball was to be pasted the negro's face still grinned, but the tiger was now standing on top of the man's head.

"That," said the billposter, "is what I call a real artistic effect. It isn't often an artist can create a Samson in almost one stroke of his brush."

[illegible] man proceeded to put up a bear. On the spot where it was to go an overfat baby held up a package of a compound much advertised of late. The bear was built up from the feet, which rested on a horizontal bar. The bear's neck and the baby's neck touched the same point, and before the bear's head was pasted up there appeared a combination of human and brute anatomy which could hardly be equaled by a monstrosity in a dime museum.

Bill posting has undergone a great change in recent years. It is not the haphazard business it once was—that is, it is not allowable for men to go around pasting bills wherever they could find a fence. Most of the big fences are preempted now by firms who pay rent for the privilege.

The old sign of "Post no bills" is more potent than it was. Its infringement now may mean a lawsuit. It used to be very much disregarded. There is record of a very literal man who was arrested for infringing a sign which read "post no bills under penalty." When the judge asked him if he had any excuse to offer, he said he had not "posted under penalty. He had posted further along the fence."—New York World.

AN AUTUMN NOVELTY.

A Gown With Epaulets Especially Adapted For Figures.

One of the season's novel effects in light cloth gowns is shown in our illustration. It is made of biscuit colored faced cloth, a very popular and becoming fabric. The widely flaring skirt falls in godet plaits in the back and is garnished by a row of lace, bordered on either edge by a narrow strap of cloth. If a more effective trimming is desired, the lace may be bordered by bands of brown velvet instead of the straps of cloth.

Four bands of lace, inserted in the close fitting bodice, divide the latter into five strips, each one of which tapers to the waist. Large epaulets of rich brown velvet fall over the shoulders, and, if desired, may be bordered by an insertion of lace, laid over the velvet. The epaulets should be lined with brown silk and with crinoline or haircloth. The gigot or leg o' mutton sleeves are very full and stand out at the shoulders. The high collar is of lace, and a full belt of brown velvet is finished by a bow at the left side.

AN AUTUMN NOVELTY.

This gown is peculiarly adapted to the stout figure, as it produces a long waisted appearance. This is effected by the narrow belt, the tight fitting bodice, without any fullness whatever, and by the vertical trimming. The back of the corsage is garnished in the same manner as the front.

An admirable gown in this style could be fashioned in dark blue English serge, with strips of mink fur substituted for the lace insertion.

The epaulets and belt would then be made of the new black and white check velvet, with hairline of corise, and the epaulets would be edged with mink. Narrow cuffs of the velvet, edged with fur, could also be added with much effect.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Broke the Record.

Miss Page of Norwich, England, is to be credited with the distinction of being the first woman who has ever spoken in the Foresters' high court. On the concluding day of the congress there was a discussion regarding the wisdom of electing a male trustee or treasurer for a female court. It was notable that the lady leaned strongly to the male side of the question, saying that "it was nonsense to say that women were as competent as men to manage or advise as to monetary matters. If they elected a woman to this office, she would consult her husband, and they thought it better that the gentleman should be consulted direct by the court and hold a position of responsibility."—London Letter.

A Basket Ball League.

There is a movement on foot to form a basket ball league among the swell girls of New Orleans. Basket ball has of late, under the heating of athletic games, become very popular in all the northern colleges, and in Wellesley college one of our New Orleans girls is the "captain of the team." It does not differ materially from baseball, only that it is more refined and lacks the rougher elements of the latter game, although it requires much the same requisites, except that of weight. It is hinted that it will be "quite the thing" this winter to belong to a basket ball team. The young ladies at the Southern Athletic club, it is rumored, will organize immediately.

No Bottle in Her Pocket.

An editor out west, having been asked if he ever saw a bald headed woman, replied: "No, we never did. Nor did we ever see a woman waltzing around town in her shirt sleeves with a cigar between her teeth and run into every saloon she saw. We have never seen a woman go fishing with a bottle in her pocket, sit down on the damp ground all day and go home drunk at night. Nor have we seen a woman yank off her coat and say she could lick any man in town. No. God bless her, she isn't built that way."—Northwest Magazine.

Tan Effects.

Tan shoes and stockings were worn by the bridesmaids at a smart London wedding last week, and this incongruous foot dressing has been noticed before with dressy gowns. The frocks of these bridesmaids were of white crepon, with yokes of pink satin, covered with lace, and shoulder straps of pink velvet, large white chip hats, trimmed with pink roses, white lace and white wings. The gloves were tan.

A Woman Wanted.

The Universalists are in search of a suitable woman to add to the Japan mission. She "must be an earnest Universalist, an educated woman, skilled in kindergarten work, and, if possible, capable of teaching the method to others." Henry W. Rugg, Providence, and G. L. Demorest, Manchester, N. H., constitute the committee in search and desire to hear of fit candidates for the work.

The Metamorphoses of a Dinat.

English sculptors are not half up to date, perhaps because our fewer political changes have not sharpened their wits. The Parisians are just now laughing at the vicissitudes of a bust of Louis XIV over the colonnade on the east side of the Louvre. When Pernault created the colonnade, the bust was an exact likeness of the "Roi Soleil," but under the first empire the official sculptor chipped off the flowing wig and pared the nose down to the Napoleonic proportions. When the Bourbons came back, the wig was replaced and the necessary hump put on the nose, but both were removed during the hundred days. But after Waterloo the perruke and the aquiline nose were restored, and the troubled bust had rest, though now that the subject has been raised possibly M. Casimir-Perier may wish to add his mustache to the long suffering work of art.—Building News.

Philip I of France fell out with the queen, turned her out of doors and married the wife of a nobleman, giving the unique reason, "I like her better than I do my wife and can provide for her better than her husband can."

PERSONALS.

W. L. Heine is over from Reedley.

J. W. Drysdale is over from Madera.

Ike Myer of Firebaugh is in the city.

J. W. Henderson is up from Stockton.

James Patterson of San Francisco is here.

Mrs. W. H. Thurman of Madera is in Fresno.

William Wilkinson of Wheatville is in town.

General M. W. Muller has gone to the bay city.

Mrs. D. T. Fowler is visiting friends in San Francisco.

Colonel H. I. Thornton of San Francisco is in Fresno.

J. C. Nourse took this morning's train for San Francisco.

Henry Young and wife of Denver are registered at the Hughes.

J. P. Meux returned from San Francisco on last evening's train.

H. C. Cook of Yosemite is down, enjoying Fresno's winter storms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lambert are visiting in this city from Firebaugh.

Miss Lissie Haber of Los Angeles is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Ex-Senator G. G. Goucher went to the Pacific metropolis on this morning's train.

W. J. Estabrook of Oregon is in Fresno visiting his brother, A. Estabrook of this city.

Superintendent Kirk returned from Santa Cruz this morning, where he has been attending the State Teachers' Association.

Theo Madsen, a teacher in the Fresno Business College, has returned, after an absence of several weeks, and will resume his labors.

"MR. HARVEY OF SAMOA."

A Roving Englishman With a Queer Story.

On Monday last a man of gentlemanly appearance, apparently about 45 years of age, with an aspect and accent unmistakably English, entered the Grand Central hotel and adorned the pages of the register with his signature, "George Harvey, Samoa and Fiji Islands."

As casual visitors at hotels have a way of indulging in freaks of fancy as to their names and residences, no more notice was taken of the signature than was done in the case of an arrival at another down-town hotel who gravely registered as "John Doe, San Quentin," while another inscribed his name and address as "Old Billy, from Gopher Flat."

The Englishman from Samoa and the Fiji islands soon made friends and acquaintances. It is stated that he imparted in a sort of awe-inspiring way the fact that he is a "journalist," and had been a special correspondent while in the south seas. On the strength of this, it is said, an amateur representative of a new paper now in course of compilation started to write up quite a breezy interview, in which the wandering Englishman's experiences in the little island realm for the possession of which Mataafa, Tamasese and Malietoa have been disturbing the peace of the world during seven long years. The article has not yet appeared, but mean while the hero of the romance is the subject of speculations of a far less romantic and flattering character.

The Stockton papers have recently been devoting considerable local space to the record of a George Harvey, also an Englishman, who left that town very recently without going through the formality of paying his bills, and who evinced a marked objection to paying cash for anything that could be "charged" at the establishments he honored with his patronage. If the new arrival in Fresno is another George Harvey, and only the "double" of the Stockton gentleman, he might do well to produce credentials from some spot a little nearer home than "Samoa and the Fiji islands." Romance and mystery go a long way, but Fresno's hotel keepers and merchants prefer cash or a satisfactory reference.

It was learned that Mr. Harvey's indebtedness at the hotel is limited to a nominal sum for lodging and that he has a value with him as collateral security.

ANDERTON-CLARK.

A Marriage in London Celebrated in Central Colony.

Thursday evening at Austin hall, in Central colony, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark gave an entertainment in honor of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Edith E. Clark, to W. Stanley Anderton, which occurred in London, England, on Thursday. The evening was spent most pleasantly by all present, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, Misses Agnes, Emily, Beatrice, Grace and Marie Clark, Herbert Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Nock, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davenhill, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webster, Judge and Mrs. S. L. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storie, Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Uridge, Mr. and Mrs. William Davenhill, Mrs. F. R. Storie, Mrs. W. L. Mott, Misses Cora Rowell, Margaret Mock, Mabel Norris, Louise Harvey, Ada Harvey, Mary Mott, Nellie Davenhill, Florence Bartling, Eleanor Stout and Hattie Stout; Dr. Chester Rowell, Messrs. Arthur Davenhill, Harold Nock, Charles Norris, G. A. Fuller, Douglas Mott, William M. Mott, William G. Uridge, John Scott, Robert Goode, Percy Goode, Herbert Goode, A. D. Carver, H. K. Cornish, Henry Ogle, S. Deane, A. A. Brightcole, Robinson, George Thain Davidson, Arthur Beardsley and Horace Gray.

Animals at Play.

Animals have a keen sense of "making believe," which is the essence of play. A child's first game is bopeep—make believe. When a couple of dogs have a jolly tussle, they make believe to engage in deadly combat. A striking instance of this occurred to a writer some years back. He gave a dead mouse to a kitten. It was the first time she had seen one, and she sniffed at it inquisitively before deciding to toss it about.

A pair of slippers lay on the floor. She dropped the mouse into one of them and immediately proceeded to look for it most zealously in the other slipper till I took up the first, which contained her booty. Then she showed that it was no real lack of memory that had sent her on the bootless search.—Buffalo Express.

Fresno Chess Club.

Although the members of the Fresno Chess and Checkers Club have not been heard of to any extent in the papers lately, they have been putting in a lot of hard work at the tourney games. Among the chess players R. L. Peeler leads, having won 26 games out of 32 he has played, and Judge Nourse is a close second. The game is beginning to win adherents from the ranks of the checker players, several of whom have already acquired quite a creditable knowledge of the most scientific of games.

The Perils of Politics.

"My friend," said the candidate for sheriff of Cheyenne, drawing a one eyed stranger close to his means of livelihood, "do you want to make $5 easy tonight?"

"Yep."

"All right. When I say in my speech, 'Is there a man among you who will deny this statement?' you jump to your feet in the rear of the hall and shout: 'Yes, sir, I will. You are a liar, and I can prove it!' and read from this clipping. Then I will call you down and make you ridiculous, but you will get the V nevertheless. Is it a go?"

"Nope."

"Why not?"

"I tried the same thing in Butte City a year ago, and the candidate jumped on me so hard that the audience kicked me out of the hall and rode me out of town on a rail. I didn't get the $5 either. Try it on some one else. I've been there."—Boston Herald.

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What! what! home sugar cured hams at 12½ cents pound, and 17½ pounds fine granulated for one dollar. "Jumping grass-hoppers!" where, Mrs. Spider? Why, at B. T. Scott's, the leading grocer. That settles it! I paid my grocerman 14 cents yesterday; ha, ha; well, Mrs. June Bug, you'll soon learn not to buy your hams, bacon, lard and in fact any kind of groceries until you go to Scott's. I have learned, and intend to tell all my neighbors about Scott's low prices. That's right, you must go and see the prizes of nice chinaware that he is giving away with baking powder—5 pieces. I will, good by.

Special Announcement!—Fresno Cash Store.

I have bought the Rutledge stock of groceries for spot cash at a reduced rate and am daily receiving new goods of best quality—NO SECOND.

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I give 18 pounds of sugar or 1 sack of Stockton flour free to every cash customer buying $10 worth of goods at one time, sugar and flour excepted.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Webster Bros., Druggists, corner K and Mariposa streets, Fresno.

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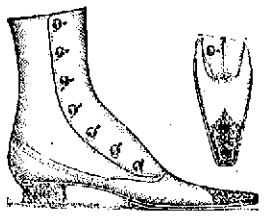

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Commissioner's Notice of Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

M. H. Bucht, plaintiff, vs. Zellinsky & Gutfeld, copartnership composed of Heiman Zellinsky and Simon Gutfeld, and Rosalie Zellinsky and Heiman Zellinsky, defendants.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, No. 6096.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the above entitled court on the 28th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, in which said action the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the defendants, Zellinsky & Gutfeld, copartnership composed of Heiman Zellinsky and Simon Gutfeld; and Rosalie Zellinsky and Heiman Zellinsky, for two thousand four hundred twenty-three and 47-100 dollars [$2423 47], besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 10th day of December, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno state of California and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lots twenty-nine [29], thirty [30], thirty-one [31] and thirty-two [32]. In block numbered fifty-one (51) of the town of Reedley as shown upon the map of said town now on file in the office of the County Recorder of said county of Fresno.

Public notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 16th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the courthouse door in the city of Fresno county of Fresno, state of California, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment as above stated, with interest and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash

C. SCHMESS,
Commissioner appointed by the court in the above entitled action.

Dated, this December 21, 1894.

J. P. Meux, attorney for plaintiff. d29d

Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of A. B. Covalt, an insolvent debtor.

A. B. COVALT HAVING FILED IN THIS court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said A. B. COVALT is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Jay Scott, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the people of the state of California, conditioned as required by law, and in such sum as the court may order, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said A. B. Covalt, insolvent debtor, wheresoever and whereover situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same, or any part thereof (including the Sheriff of the county of Fresno) in his or their possession, are hereby directed to deliver said property to said receiver, and all persons owing money to said insolvent are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Hon. J. R. Welsh, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, in open court at the court room of said court, in the county of Fresno, on the 19th day of January, 1895, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, California, as often as the said paper is published since the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 13th, A. D. 1894.

J. R. WELSH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

[illegible] Attorney for Petitioner. d18td

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno State of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. Jules K. Weinlawski, Louis Harlan, J. E. Harrah, et al., defendants.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale No. 6068.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the above entitled court on the 6th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, in which said action above-named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the defendants, Jules K. Weinlawski for two thousand four hundred seventy-nine and 92-100 dollars [$2479.92] besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 6th day of November, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot twenty-five [25] of the Kerrie Colony, being the south half [S½] of the northeast quarter [NE¼] of the northeast quarter [NE¼] of section ten [10] township numbered fifteen [15] south, of range twenty-five [25] east, Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of said day, in front of the courthouse door in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, as above stated, with interest and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

G. SCHIRNER,
Commissioner Appointed by the Court in above entitled action.

Dated this December 11, 1894.

J. F. Sowders, Attorney for Plaintiff. d14td

Notice of Assessment

Fresno Flume and Irrigation Company, a corporation. Principal place of business of said corporation being located in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the directors held on the 11th day of December, 1894, an assessment of $3 (three dollars) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable at the office of said corporation, in the Fresno National Bank building in said City of Fresno, to H. L. Musick, the secretary of said corporation on or before the 25th day of January, 1895. Any stock on which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the said 25th day of January, 1895, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 14th day of February, 1895, to pay delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

[894td] H. L. MUSICK,
As Secretary of the Fresno Flume and Irrigation Co., location of office, rooms 12 and 13 in the Fresno National Bank building, on the corner of J and Tulare streets in the city of Fresno. d18

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 6071.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

John Cutler, Jr., plaintiff, vs. Albert Worsley and L. F. Ward, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, of State of California, on the 17th day of December, A.D. 1894, in the above entitled action, wherein John Cutler, Jr., the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Albert Worsley and L. F. Ward, defendants, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1894, for the sum of $257.81-100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1894, recorded in Decree Book vol. 6 of said Court, at page—, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section thirty (30) in township eighte n (18) south, of range sixteen (16) east, M. D. B. and M., together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the courthouse door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., December 18, 1894.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
E. O. Larkins, Attorney for Plaintiff. d18

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Fresno, State of California.

H. E. Lelhardt, plaintiff, vs. N. L. Palmer, administrator of the estate of Thomas F. Tuitt, deceased, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the above-entitled court on the third day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the above named defendant, as such administrator as aforesaid, for the sum of $510 60-100, five hundred ten and 60-100 dollars, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the said third day of December, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all that certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, State of California, described as follows, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section six (6), township twenty-one (21) south, range seventeen (17) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Public notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the second day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the court house door in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and accruing costs, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, lawful money, of the United States.

Jessie F. Cornett,
Commissioner appointed by the Court in said action.

N. Jackson, Attorney for plaintiff. d11td

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

Superior Court, County of Fresno, State of California.

L. F. Dozier, plaintiff, vs. F. A. Benadum, defendant.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior Court of the said County of Fresno, on the 11th day of December, 1894, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage, rendered therein and docketed on the 4th day of December, 1894, in favor of L. F. Dozier, plaintiff, and against F. A. Benadum, defendant, which said judgment and decree is recorded in Decree Book volume 6, of the said Superior court, on page —, for the sum of $3,765.10, in United States gold coin of the United States of America, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from [illegible] and accruing costs.

[illegible] Judgment and decree aforesaid, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the door of the courthouse, in Fresno, county of Fresno, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale as follows:

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section fourteen (14) in township fourteen (14) south, range twenty-three [23] east, M. D. B. and M., together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., December 14th, 1894.

D. J. GUGGENHIME, Commissioner.

Notice of Commissioner's Sale of Real Property.

F. F. Letcher, plaintiff, vs. Edward Lloyd, defendant.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, No. 6015.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the superior court of Fresno County, State of California, on the 7th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff, F. F. Letcher, obtained a decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the defendant, Edward Lloyd, for the sum of $352.56, gold coin, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 7th day of December, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

That certain mining property situate in the Big Dry Creek mining district, and known as the "Conference Quartz Mine," together with all that certain five stamp quartz mill, situate on Big Dry Creek on said mill site located by W. J. Minnis. Also the said mill site. Said property located about 2½ miles from Letcher postoffice in said county.

Public notice is hereby given that I will on Saturday, the 26th day of December, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the morning of said day, in front of the front door of the county court house of said Fresno County, California, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs of sale as public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States of America.

E. A. WILLIAMS,
Commissioner.

Dated, December 7, 1894. d8td

Sayle & Boldwell, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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d23td FRANK BARRETT, Secretary.

NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE stock holders of the Mesabi Gold Mining Co. held at the office of Fresno Abstract Co., on Mariposa street in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, on Monday the 7th day of January 1895, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other necessary business.

d27td K. W. BROWN, Secretary.

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Foreclosure Sale

In the Superior Court, of the County of Fresno, State of California.

J. H. Blatchell, plaintiff, vs. J. D. Krusekie and J. H. Beall, defendants.

WHEREAS AN ORDER OF SALE TO ME directed, in the above entitled case was issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, on the 14th day of December, 1894, on judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 4th day of December, 1894, in favor of J. H. Blatchell, plaintiff, and against J. D. Krusekie and J. H. Beall, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in Decree book volume 6, of the said Superior court, on page —, for the sum of $3,765.10, in United States gold coin of the United States of America, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from [illegible] and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the door of the courthouse, in the County of Fresno, in obedience to the demands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows, to-wit: Situate in Fresno county, California, and described as lots No. one hundred and sixty-two and one hundred and sixty three of the Washington Irrigated colony, according to map or plat thereof on file in the office of the County Recorder of said county.

And that said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

L. R. WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
Brother & Brother, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS—ALEXANDER LIND, MADE A certain deed of trust to H. E. Hamilton and Wm. F. Coleman, dated July 9th, 1891, and recorded on the 15th day of July, 1891, in book 113 of Deeds, at page 484 and following, records of Fresno county, State of California, the said trust deed conveying the real property hereinafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith made by the said Alexander Lind; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said trust deed and upon application of the holder and owner of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1895, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 1 o'clock p.m., in front of the courthouse door, in the city of Fresno county of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the real property situate in the county of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section number five (5), in township twenty (20) south, range twenty three (23) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights and privileges now or may hereafter be connected with or appertain to said lands.

ED. R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. F. COLEMAN, Trustee.

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Commissioner's Notice of Sale.

In the superior Court of the County of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. J. M. Johnson, as administrator of the estate of B. H. Parcell, deceased, F. M. Spangle, W. D. Garland Mary E. Waterman, Charles H. Taylor, Harvey Phinney and T. J. May, defendants.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale No. 5238.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of foreclosure and order of sale issued out of the above entitled court on the 29th day of December, 1894, in the above entitled action, in which said action above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale against the defendants, the estate of B. H. Parcell, deceased, and J. M. Johnson, as administrator of the estate of B. H. Parcell, deceased, and F. M. Spangle, for four thousand eight hundred twenty three and 41-100 dollars [$4823.41], besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 19th day of December, 1894, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows to wit:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section twenty-eight (28), in township thirteen (13) south, of range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Public notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 16th day of January, 1895, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the courthouse door in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, state of California, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment as above stated, with interest and accruing costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder [illegible] gold coin of the United States